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National Intelligence Officers

22 June 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: Addressees

SUBJECT : Interagency Intelligence Memorandum,
Portugal: A Mid-Range Assessment

1. Attached are terms of reference agreed to at a representatives' meeting on 22 June. These indicate primary drafting responsibilities undertaken by the participating offices, with the understanding that analysts will be in contact as appropriate as they proceed with drafting assigned sections.

2. Due date for draft sections is 8 July, assuming a clear decision in the Portuguese election of 27 June. If there is no clear decision then, some slippage will be necessary -- depending on Portuguese decisions about a runoff. Drafts should be distributed laterally to other analytical offices as well as to the NIO/WE.

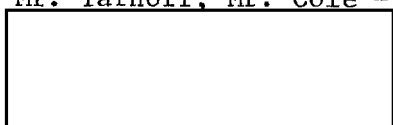
3. It is agreed that we are aiming for a relatively brief paper, analytical rather than descriptive or comprehensive, and selective in discussing the problems which are most important and most subject to uncertainties or differing views.



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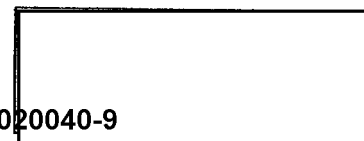
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